



AGTA LIVE: Startup 2021!

Commercialisation, Entrepreneurship and Genomics



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FULL PROGRAM (FINAL)

11:00 – 11:10 (AEST)	Welcome and opening remarks Professor Marcel Dinger (UNSW Sydney & AGTA President)
11:10 – 11:25	Genomics startup landscape and future perspective Amanda Cashin (Global Head, Illumina Accelerator)
11:25 – 12:10	Rising Stars Showcase <i>Five 8 minute talks from up and coming Australasian genomics companies</i> Chair: Alan Robertson (CEO & Founder, ClearSky Genomics Pty Ltd) Presenters: Mark Grosser (CEO & Founder, 23 Strands Pty Ltd) Anthony Bishop (CEO, Genomiqa Pty Ltd) Matt Keon (CEO & Co-Founder, GenieUs Pty Ltd) Zoë Milgrom (CCO & Co-Founder, Eugene Pty Ltd) Tim Mercer (CEO & Founder, Sequin Standards)
12:10 – 13:00	Drivers for investment in genomics startups Chair: Amanda Cashin (Global Head, Illumina Accelerator) Panelists: Leighton Read (Venture Partner, Brandon Capital) Anne-Marie Birkill (Venture Partner & Director, OneVentures) Elaine Stead (Director, Human VC) Siro Perez (Head of Life Sciences, IP Group Australia)
13:00 – 13:45	Onwards and Upwards Showcase <i>Three 15 minute presentations from fast-growing Australasian companies</i> Chair: Alan Robertson (CEO & Founder, ClearSky Genomics Pty Ltd) Presenters: Blake Willis (CEO, Microba Pty Ltd) Robert Johnston (Founder, OrthoDX Pty Ltd) Phil Hayes-St Clair (CEO, DropBio Pty Ltd)
13:45 – 14:15	Everything you need to know about commercialisation David Burt (Director of Entrepreneurship, UNSW Sydney)
14:15 – 14:45pm	Success Stories Showcase <i>Two 15 minute presentations from Australasian companies that “made it”</i> Chair: Marcel Dinger (UNSW Sydney & AGTA President) Rob McLeay (Founder, DoseMe) Allan Sheffield (Co-Founder, MyDNA)
14:45 – 15:00	Startup Success Story from Overseas Chimera Bio (Ben Wang, CEO and Founder)
15:00 – 15:30	Concluding remarks, and break-out time with audience, speakers and sponsors



This meeting is proudly presented by the AGTA 2021 Organising Committee

Professor Marcel Dinger, UNSW Sydney

Alan Robertson, ClearSky Genomics

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